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Confessions: are heard each Saturday night from 4 to 4:45 pm and each Sunday from 8 to 8:20 am.

Parish Office Hours: Mondays and Thursdays, 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. Closed from 12 noon to 1:00 pm for lunch.

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THEME FOR THE MOST HOLY TRINITY: We are at peace with God our Father through our Lord Jesus Christ. God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit. This Spirit, who is Wisdom itself, will lead us into all truth. How wonderful the name of our God in all the earth!

MASS INTENTIONS:

Sat. 6-15	5:00 pm -- For Our Parish at St. Augustine's
Sun. 6-16	8:30 am – For all Fathers Living & Deceased
Tues. 6-18	8:00 am – John Rheinecker
Wed. 6-19	8:00 am – Charlie Kreher
Thurs. 6-20	8:00 am – Joanne Wuller & Mary Jerome
Fri. 6-21	8:00 am – Joe Wittenauer
Sat. 6-22	5:00 pm – Edmund Eckart
Sun. 6-23	8:30 am -- For Our Parish at St. Augustine's

ORGANIZATIONS

BLESSED VIRGIN ALTAR SODALITY – The ladies meet the first Tuesday In September, November, January & March at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center. Details regarding the annual Christmas Party and Spring Breakfast are shared in the bulletins closer to those dates.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS – meet the second Wednesday of every month at 7:30 pm in the Parish Center. Any changes or special activities are given elsewhere in the bulletin.

QUILTING – ladies meet to quilt each Tuesday in the Parish Center from 8:30 am to 3:30 p.m. except during the summer. Any questions call Margie Holle at 473-2944 or Alice Kuehn 473-2817.

PARISH COUNT: 206
OUR SACRIFICE MADE TO GOD: 6-9-19
Sunday Envelopes (83) - $2,340.00
Loose - $281.00 Youth (1) - $3.00

Scholarship Fund - $4,035.00

(Total Donated since 8/1/2018)

Thank you very much for your generosity!

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, June 22nd; 5pm
Ushers: Mel Parker & Clinton Mudd
Greeters: Elaine Gregson
Servers: Mudds
Lector: Cheri Mudd
Extraordinary Ministers: Barb Bruss Dennis Biffar and Clinton Mudd

Sunday, June 23rd; 8:30am
Ushers: Scott Gregson & Dale Papenberg
Greeters: Vicki Biffar
Servers: Brooke & Brady Biffar
Lector: May Stellhorn
Extraordinary Ministers: Betty Schreder, Edward Stellhorn and Bernadette Gregson

OFFERTORY FAMILIES

Sat. 6/22 – Mel Parker & Virginia Parker
Sat. 6/29 -- Todd Papenberg Family
Sat. 7/6 -- M/M Rich Schilling
Sat. 7/13 – Kevin Schreder Family
Sat. 7/20 – M/M Chuck Wagner

Sun. 6/23 – Mark Neary Family
Sun. 6/30 – M/M Marvin Parker
Sun. 7/7 – Brian Smith Family
Sun. 7/14 – M/M Roy Schreder
Sun. 7/21 – M/M Edward Stellhorn

Please pray for the following:

Darlene Frisch, Ellen Daniels, Dave Bruss, Aaron & Dorothy Vogler, Janet Hayes, Maxine Linnertz, Kathy Lynn Kromat, Ray Mavers, Rita Helfrich, Robert & Alice Mueller, Bob Dennler, Bob Reed, Pam Wilderman Woodward, Shirley Wittenauer, Madalyn Killebrew, Stephanie Amann Stosberg, Ranetta Adams, Nancy Grohmann, Sheila Zubrzyski, Lowell Powell, Renee Krebel, Kristen Christ, Bonnie Casey, John Joseph Materniak, Beverly Moskop, Ruth Cortner, Lois Papenberg, David Williams, and Diane Guttmann.

Submitted names will remain on the prayer list for one month's time. Please call the Parish Office 473-2217 to submit names for the prayer list.

Ss. Peter & Paul Women's ACTS Retreat -- August 1st-4th, 2019

A representative from Ss. Peter & Paul Parish will be here this weekend to share information regarding this retreat program.

More details to follow…be sure to watch the bulletin! Save the date and plan to attend!!!!

In June, there are 5 Sundays; so once again, we will conduct a 2nd Collection at Masses the weekend of, June 29th & 30th. This collection will benefit St. Vincent de Paul (Waterloo) and The Newman Center/SIU-C. We appreciate your generosity during these 5th Sunday Collections. Once again, if you wish to have your donation listed on your annual financial statement, please indicate on your check memo line or put cash in an envelope with the designation of 5th Sunday Collection. Thank you!

DIOCESAN EVENTS

RESPECT LIFE CORNER

National Hunger Awareness Month: June is National Hunger Awareness Month! All across America, in every community, there are people that rely on assistance to help provide food for themselves and their families. In the Greater St. Louis Area alone there are 427,440 people that are food insecure. **Learn, Act, Connect, Pray:** To learn more about ending hunger visit www.feedingamerica.org. There you will find resources and family action plans that will help you get involved with being a part of the solution. "For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat." -Matthew 25:35

Gala Dinner to Benefit Students' Tuition and Formation – Friday, June 28, 2019

The Benefit Committee for Catholic Education cordially invites you to attend the Diocese of Belleville's Gala Dinner to Benefit Catholic Students' Tuition and Formation – Friday, June 28, 2019 – St. Clair Country Club, 100 South 78th Street, Belleville, Illinois. To make your reservation to attend the Gala Dinner or to make a donation, please go directly to https://secure.acceptiva.com/?cst=NRnNXn or please contact Judy Hoffmann at 618-722-5003 for more information.

"Go, therefore, and teach all nations!" – Jesus of Nazareth (Matthew 28:19)

We encourage you and your parishioners to support Catholic education and formation by attending the Gala Dinner or by making a donation.

HISPANIC YOUTH DAY
Sponsored by the Office of Hispanic Ministry, Diocese of Belleville
SATURDAY, JUNE 29TH; STARTS AT 9:30AM, MASS AT 3:15PM, CLOSING 4:30PM
For Hispanic Youth Ages 10-17; Bring a Friend
Held at the Pastor Center, 2620 Lebanon Ave, Belleville
RSVP 618/722-5050 or email Lbarragan@diobelle.org

No summer blues here… Keep up with all the local Church picnics!
Subscribe to **The Messenger at 618-233-8670.**
To subscribe online go to www.bellevillemessenger.org

COMING AREA EVENTS

FLYERS WILL NOW BE LOCATED IN A 3-RING BINDER AT THE FRONT ENTRANCE TO CHURCH. FEEL FREE TO CHECK OUT THE BINDER IF YOU NEED ADDITIONAL INFO ABOUT AN EVENT.

June 21st & 22nd – Picnic; St. John's Red Bud; Fri: Fish Dinner 5pm; Quilt/Cash Bingo 7pm; Sat: 4pm Polka Mass, Chicken Dinner 3-7:30pm; Quilt/Cash Bingo 6:30pm; Bags Tournament; Both Days: Music 8-11pm; Inflatables, Raffles, Adult & Kids Games, Food Stands, Country Store, Basket Stand.
June 22nd – Golf Tournament; St. Augustine's Belleville; held at Tamarack Country Club, Shiloh; 4 person scramble, 1:00 Shot Gun; $70 per golfer; light lunch before, dinner immediately following; Call Jerry 618/530-1502
June 29th – Biehle Picnic; 3-11pm; 4pm Game Booths, Supper in AC Hall 3-7:30 rain or shine; Lunch Stand 11am-10:30pm; 4pm Mass; Bingo, Games, Food, Music 6:30-10:30.
July 6th – Picnic; St. Michael's Paderborn; Dinner 3-7pm in AC Hall; Quilt/Cash Bingo 6pm; Live Music; Masses 3:30 & 5pm; Raffles; usual picnic attractions.
July 20th – Picnic; St. Bruno's Pinckneyville.
BINGO - BINGO - BINGO on Monday nights at CKL of I in Swansea. Bingo (no machines) begins at 7pm and proceeds benefit Althoff Catholic High School. Food and drinks are available
Euchre -- Every Thursday afternoon starting at 1:00; St. Michael's Paderborn (9/6/18-5/23/19)

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17TH, 2019

- ✓ **NEXT CHAIRMAN MEETING – Wednesday, July 17th at 7pm.** All stand chairman should plan to attend the meeting to address any last minute concerns!
- ✓ **ADULT BASKET STAND** – if you have baskets or decorative containers, if you have items to put in baskets, you are encouraged to bring them early. Barb Bruss will put the baskets together for you!! Just drop off at the Parish Office on Mondays or Thursdays or leave at the front entrance to Church. A plastic bin will be there for your items. We will NOT be using the usual plastic bags this year so don't worry about those! You are welcome to drop off now rather than waiting until picnic week!!!!
- ✓ **QUILTS FOR BINGO –** Please return your postcard as soon as possible. You may drop it in the collection basket or put it in the office door mail slot.
- ✓ **DINNER STAND –** Volunteers needed to cook & peel 10 pounds of potatoes for the potato salad. If you are able to volunteer to do this, please call Ruth Wittenauer 473-2303. The potatoes will need to be brought to the HCC Kitchen on Friday, August 16th.

From the Catechism … Marriage

In review, let's look at some of the **summary paragraphs** from the Catechism of the Catholic Church on the subject of **Matrimony:**

1659 St. Paul said: "Husbands, love your wives, as Christ loved the Church. . . . This is a great mystery, and I mean in reference to Christ and the Church" (*Ephesians* 5:25, 32).

1660 The marriage covenant, by which a man and a woman form with each other an intimate communion of life and love, has been founded and endowed with its own special laws by the Creator. By its very nature it is ordered to the good of the couple, as well as to the generation and education of children. Christ the Lord raised marriage between the baptized to the dignity of a sacrament.

1661 The sacrament of Matrimony signifies the union of Christ and the Church. It gives spouses the grace to love each other with the love with which Christ has loved his Church; the grace of the sacrament thus perfects the human love of the spouses, strengthens their indissoluble unity, and sanctifies them on the way to eternal life.

1662 Marriage is based on the consent of the contracting parties, that is, on their will to give themselves, each to the other, mutually and definitively, in order to live a covenant of faithful and fruitful love.

1663 Since marriage establishes the couple in a public state of life in the Church, it is fitting that its celebration be public, in the framework of a liturgical celebration, before the priest (or a witness authorized by the Church), the witnesses, and the assembly of the faithful.

1664 Unity, indissolubility, and openness to fertility are essential to marriage. Divorce separates what God has joined together; the refusal of fertility turns married life away from its "supreme gift," the child.

1665 The remarriage of persons divorced from a living, lawful spouse contravenes the plan and law of God as taught by Christ. They are not separated from the Church, but they cannot receive Eucharistic communion. They will lead Christian lives especially by educating their children in the faith.

1666 The Christian home is the place where children receive the first proclamation of the faith. For this reason the family home is rightly called "the domestic church," a community of grace and prayer, a school of human virtues and of Christian charity.

In these last weeks, we have seen how the Church upholds the dignity of marriage as created by God and raised to a sacrament by Jesus Christ. The Church also wants to be caring toward those who find themselves in difficult marriage situations. **If a Catholic becomes engaged to be married, please see a priest or deacon as soon as practical to be sure that the requirement to be married before a priest or a deacon and two witnesses is met or, in certain special cases, is dispensed with by the bishop. For those Catholics who have been divorced, especially if they are in a second marriage outside the Church or are considering marriage, please see a priest or deacon.**

Fr. Von Deeke

The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal 2019

…Blessed to receive, chosen to give

Did you know **YOUR GIFT** to the 2019 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal can be made online? Visit your Belleville Diocese's website at www.diobelle.org and click on "Giving". It's that simple! Every donation – large or small – is needed to continue our diocesan ministry to those in need. We are counting on **YOU**. Please visit www.diobelle.org today!

Our parish participation goal for the appeal is 58 households and our financial target is $6,000.00. Please be as generous as you are able.

Pledges to Date: 37 $5,655.00 94% of Total Goal

Pray
for Vocations

"I was blessed to attend strong Catholic parishes and entered the Academy of Fine Arts to study painting, which was a dream come true. Still nothing in my life satisfied me completely. I wanted to grow closer to God and I felt the call to give my all to Christ. However, I was terrified with the idea of leaving my family and my dreams, painting, dancing and children. Then a moment came in prayer when deep in my heart I simply said to God, "OK, I will do it". Suddenly, a peace entered my life like I never experience before. I never knew such peace existed. I completed my school studies and soon went to the convent with my suitcase."
Sister Gaudia Skass, Congregation of the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy, Krakow Poland, Columbia, May 2016, pg. 42.

SEXUAL ABUSE HOTLINE

Anyone wishing to report an allegation of sexual misconduct by a priest or other diocesan personnel please call the hotline: **800-640-3044.** Also, please call local law enforcement to report an allegation of illegal activity.

The Fourth Joyful Mystery

THE PRESENTATION

1. **Observing the law of Moses they take Jesus to the temple to present Him to the Lord.**
2. **According to the Law the firstborn male child of every family should be consecrated to the Lord.**
3. **Mary offers her Son to the Father, then ransoms Him back at the price paid by the poor.**
4. **Jesus is not subject to the law of Moses, yet to teach obedience, submits to it.**
5. **Mary is not subject to the law of purification, yet in humility she submits to it.**
6. **God had revealed to Simeon that he would not see death until he had seen the Messiah.**
7. **Recognizing the Child, he prays: "Now you can dismiss your servant in peace. You have fulfilled your word."**
8. **"This Child is destined to be the downfall and rise of many in Israel, a sign that will be opposed."**
9. **And to Mary Simeon reveals: "And your own soul a sword shall pierce."**
10. **After they fulfill all the Law requires they return to Nazareth.**

Spiritual Fruit: Let us pray for all 2019 graduates, especially those from our parish; may their futures be successful and may they continue to give praise and thanksgiving to God for all the blessings He has already given them.

NEEDED…PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION (PSR) TEACHERS AT SS. PETER & PAUL, WATERLOO…

If you have an interest in becoming a PSR teacher, please call the Parish Office, 473-2217, for contact information. The sessions are held on Wednesday evenings during the school year. Teachers are needed for the 2nd, 4th, 5th & 6th grades!

PSR registration for the 2019-2020 year is open. Please visit the PSR website for registration instructions (spppsr.weebly.com). Students in grades 1-8 who do not attend Catholic school should register for PSR. PSR meets weekly on Wednesday evenings from the end of August through the 1st week of May. If you have any questions regarding PSR, or would like to volunteer, please contact the PSR Coordinator, Angela Atkinson (psrnews@gmail.com).

Angela Atkinson
Resource/Gifted Teacher
Ss. Peter and Paul Catholic School
aatkinson@sppswaterloo.com

The Youth Ministry of Ss. Peter and Paul which also includes the youth from St. Augustine's now has a new social platform…INSTAGRAM! The new Pastoral Associate of Youth Ministry, Mrs. Catherine Burkart, has set up an Instagram Account which she will use to promote prayer and social opportunities. **Any youth interested can follow on ssppyouth_waterloo.**

GroupMe. This is a new social media platform that the teens are using. It is a large group text option. Students can invite other teens to join or students can join by following the link below.

https://web.groupme.com/join_group/44062372/mlpvgk

WATERLOO
Queen of Hearts
BENEFITS SPPCS ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

The SPPCS Queen of Hearts fundraiser is in full swing. $1 tickets are on sale at the Stubborn German Brewing Company in downtown Waterloo during normal business hours. Drawing is at 7:00 p.m. every Tuesday.

NEWS FROM SS. PETER & PAUL YOUTH FAITH FORMATION

I Scream You Scream…
This Summer Ss. Peter & Paul will be hosting The Story of Salvation, Finding your Place in God's Place Bible Study. All high school students are invited to join us **on June 19th at 7 p.m. for the kick-off.** We will have information about the bible study as well as **ice cream**!

National Catholic Youth Conference
The National Catholic Youth Conference is scheduled for November 21-23, 2019 in Indianapolis, IN. Ss. Peter & Paul as well as other parishes from the Belleville Diocese are planning to attend. The cost is $540 per person, which includes registration fees, travel by deluxe motor coach, hotel stay, and daily shuttle to and from the conference. The cost does not include food with the exception of daily hotel breakfasts. For more information or If you are interested in attending please contact Catherine Burkart. Deadline for registration is June 17th.

ALL STUDENTS FROM ST. AUGUSTINE'S PARISH ARE INVITED TO JOIN WITH SS. PETER & PAUL PARISH…BE SURE TO CHECK WHICH ACTIVITY IS APPROPRIATE FOR YOUR AGE GROUP!

NEWS FROM GIBAULT CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL…

Gibault Summer Golf Classic
Join Gibault for the first day of summer at Annbriar Golf Course!

- When: **Friday, June 21 (registration at 12PM; shotgun start at 1PM)**
- Cost: $400/ 4-person scramble
- Included: 18 holes with a cart, dinner, and drinks
- Extras: raffles and games on the course

Sponsorships are still available! Contact Andrea Biske (939-3883 or abiske@gibaulthawks.com) for reservations or more information.

Summer Camps
Gibault is proud to host a variety of summer camps, including:

- Boy's and Girl's Basketball
- Boy's and Girl's Soccer
- Boy's and Girl's volleyball
- Band
- Theatre

For more information, including registration forms, please visit https://gibaulthawks.com/news/summer-camps/

Class of 2023 Summer Fun Events
Mark your calendars, incoming freshman! Meet the rest of your class at our three summer fun events:

- **June 19: Sky Zone**
- July 17: The Edge
- August 9: Game Night

Information has been e-mailed regarding the June 19th event at SkyZone. Please contact Kara Hoke (khoke@gibaulthawks.com) if you did not receive this information or have further questions.

- Summer Lunch Program is underway in Monroe County. HNS (House of Neighborly Service) partners with HSS & Team Work from the YMCA to provide lunches Monday through Thursday in Prairie du Rocher, Valmeyer & Waterloo to school age children & senior citizens in these areas. Donations of individual food/snack items, baggies, brown lunch bags would be most welcome. You may drop off at St. Augustine's Church or Parish Office or at the HNS Office in Waterloo at 1331 Jamie Lane or at the YMCA.

Mary & Martha Annual Rummage Sale…

Will be held Friday & Saturday, June 21st & 22nd from 8am to 1pm in the SPPCS Gym, Waterloo. You may drop off items starting Sat. June 15th from 9-noon or Mon-Thurs June 17th-20th from 9am-3pm or 6-8pm. We will not accept sofas, beds, TV's or computers. If you have any questions or wish to volunteer to work, please call Judy at 939-6482.

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ANNUAL MARY & MARTHA QUILT-A-RAMA
SS. PETER & PAUL CHURCH, WATERLOO, SCHOOL CAFETERIA
THURSDAY, JUNE 27TH
8AM-3:30PM

All quilting ladies are invited to participate; lunch will be provided & attendance prizes awarded.

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Hot Weather Is Just Around the Corner and
St. Vincent de Paul Needs Your Help Again!

The Belleville Council Society of St. Vincent de Paul again this year needs donations of:

- bottled water, Gatorade (individual bottles) or Capri Sun (individual pouches) or similar drinks
- new socks
- new t-shirts

to distribute to the poor and homeless during the next few months of hot summer weather. Items can be dropped off at St. Vincent de Paul Offices; #13 Vieux Carre Drive, East St. Louis (Loisel Village area/immediately off Route 157) – or call 618-394-0126 for additional information

The Blessed Sacrament Chapel; 20th Anniversary Celebration
Sunday, June 23, 2019
A Eucharistic Procession after the 11:00 am Mass in St. Teresa Church, Belleville
Luncheon in Parish Center to follow

For more info call Mary Ellen Hermann 234-4945 or Brad Dunn 618/830-7482.

JOB OPENING FOR MANAGER POSITION

Life Network of Southern Illinois is seeking a highly motived self-starter with strong multi-tasking and management skills to fill the position of Satellite Manager in our Red Bud Office. This part-time (32-35 hours per week) position is responsible for providing leadership and oversight to the satellite office's non-medical client services and programs, including supervising volunteers.
Education/Experience Required:

- Bachelor's degree (recommended but not required)
- A minimum of 1-year experience as a volunteer in some ministry capacity
- A minimum of 2 years of experience in a helping profession in a position requiring management or equivalent
- Have experience in office operations and general management of running an office

Life Network of Southern Illinois is a Christ-centered ministry with more than 26 years' experience in providing free and confidential pregnancy and sexual health services. All employees must be in full agreement with our Statement of Faith, Statement of Principles and our Mission/Vision Statement.
A full job description is available on our website (http://supportmylifenet.com) and Facebook page (facebook.com/lifenetworkofsoill). All resumes (including a cover letter) should be e-mailed to dgeist@htc.net OR mailed to our main office – 722 N. Market Street, Waterloo, IL 62298

Diocese of Belleville
Office of Human Resources

Tuesday, June 4, 2019

POSITION AVAILABLE

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT FOR THE OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND YOUTH MINISTRY

The Diocese of Belleville is seeking a full-time Administrative Assistant for the Office of Religious Education and Youth Ministry which is part of the Department of Faith Formation. This position provides administrative support which includes general clerical duties as well as coordinating special projects, meetings and events. Applicant must have strong written and oral communication skills; be highly organized, detailed and flexible; exercise problem-solving, discretion and interpersonal skills, and must maintain confidentiality.

Essential qualifications include a minimum of a high school diploma, Associate's Degree preferred, or equivalent experience; 1-3 years' in a related role of providing administrative/clerical support. Advanced knowledge in Word, Excel, Publisher and other computer programs/applications. Practicing Catholic preferred with thorough knowledge and understanding of Catholic teachings, practices and organizational structure.

To apply send cover letter with resume and preferred salary range to Human Resources, Diocese of Belleville, 222 S. 3rd St., Belleville, IL. 62220. FAX to 618-722-5020; email to humanresources@diobelle.org. Application deadline: June 21, 2019

Diocese of Belleville
Office of Human Resources

June 10, 2019

POSITION AVAILABLE

CONTROLLER

The Diocese of Belleville is seeking to hire a Controller. The Controller undertakes all aspects of financial management, including accounting, regulatory and financial reporting and auditing budget and forecast preparation as well as development of internal control policies and procedures. In addition to the accounting functions this position also oversees the computer network.

Applicants should hold a Bachelor's Degree or equivalent advanced degree in accounting, and ten or more years' proven working experience as a Controller. CPA or CMA preferred. Position requires the ability to communicate effectively both verbally (including presentations) and in writing, strong organization and interpersonal skills, decision making, use of discretion, exercise confidentiality and teamwork.

TO APPLY: Send resume, cover letter, preferred salary range, and references to Human Resources, Diocese of Belleville, 222 South Third Street, Belleville, IL 62220 or email humanresources@diobelle.org **Application Deadline: July 8, 2019**

TOUR SS PETER AND PAUL CHURCH
SUNDAY, JUNE 30
SAVE THE DATE!

Did you ever notice the door handles at the entrance to church and wonder about the symbolism of them? How about the symbols on the columns and arches in church, and the stained glass windows, and the statues? The list goes on...What about what everyone always wonders about: What's in the basement beneath church? Where does that loud banging noise come from in the winter?

Join Deacon Tom after the 10:00 a.m. Mass on June 30 (the day after the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul) for a tour of Ss. Peter & Paul Church focusing on the sacred that surrounds us. A reception at the Adult Faith Formation House with light snacks and refreshments will follow the tour.

Please join us to wrap up our celebration of the feast of Ss. Peter & Paul Parish!